

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: AKIYAMA et al. ) Examiner: Qian Janice Li  
Application No.: 10/594,695 ) Group Art Unit: 1633  
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For: sFRP EXPRESSION ENHANCING AGENT

## **RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

May 5, 2009

Sir:

This Response to Restriction Requirement is in response to the Office Action dated April 16, 2009, for which the Examiner has set a one-month period for response, thus making the response due on or before May 16, 2009.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 2 of this paper.